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Dear Mr. Snow,

I'm writing this letter to register my views regarding the CALFED Bay - Delta plan. I am in opposition to any CALFED alternatives that would require construction of new or in some cases enlarged dams and canals, especially the Peripheral Canal. I am in opposition also to CALFED's proposed restoration objectives for upper watershed forest management where increases logging is involved. I also oppose water diversion plans if they affect the overall delta hydraulics system, especially if the plan would impact on any resident fish species, migratory salmon, as well as degrading the water quality.

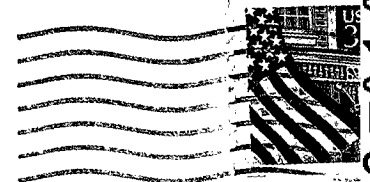
I do support any CALFED efforts to expand water efficiency, conservation, and reclamation programs to stretch existing water supplies in lieu of building more new dams and canals. I also support CALFED's proposed restoration objectives for the Central Valley stream flows, water temperature, flood plain management, and riparian/riverine habitat. I also support efforts that would address ways to protect sensitive, threatened and endangered species common to the riparian/riverine habitat. These restoration objectives are needed to mitigate the impacts of current water facilities.

Sincerely,



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